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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Plans and Policy Staff

SUBJECT : Comments on Experimental Research on
"Political Gaming"

1. "Political Gaming" is an advanced research technique. The Air Force used it extensively in the post-war period at Headquarters. Its major application in CIA would be wherever advanced political research work is done. The Office of Training is not, as yet, engaged in advanced political research work; nor has there been any request that such work be undertaken by OTR. I believe that OTR's interest in "Political Gaming", at the present time, should be restricted to keeping abreast of the developments in the field.

2. We appreciate the opportunity to review this paper, and will use it to compare a much more modest exercise now in preparation for Agency management training.

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